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February 3, 2006

Honorable James H. Welsh  
Commissioner of Conservation  
Office of Conservation  
P. O. Box 94275  
Baton Rouge, LA 70804-4275

Re: Marginulina Howei Sand, Reservoir E  
Camerina 2 Zone, Reservoir H  
ANDREW FIELD  
Vermilion Parish, Louisiana

Dear Commissioner Welsh:

Application is hereby made on behalf of **CIMAREX ENERGY COMPANY** for the calling of a public hearing, after legal notice, to consider evidence relative to the issuance of orders pertaining to the following matters relating to the Marg Howei Sand, Reservoir E, and the Cam 2 Zone, Reservoir H, all in the Andrew Field, Vermilion Parish, Louisiana:

1. To establish rules and regulations and to create a single drilling and production unit for the exploration for and production of gas and condensate from the Marg Howei Sand, Reservoir E, and the Camerina 2 Zone, Reservoir H, all in the Andrew Field, Vermilion Parish, Louisiana, said proposed units designated MARG H RE SUA and CAM 2 RH SUA, all as shown on the plats attached hereto and made a part hereof.
2. To force pool and integrate all separately owned tracts, mineral leases and other property interests within each of the proposed units with each tract sharing in unit production on a surface acreage basis of participation.
3. To provide that any wells drilled to the Marg Howei Sand, Reservoir E, and the Cam 2 Zone, Reservoir H, should be exempt from the spacing provisions of LAC 43:XIX.1901 et seq. (Statewide Order No. 29-E).
4. To provide that the Commissioner of Conservation should be authorized to reclassify each of the reservoirs by supplemental order without the necessity of a public hearing if the producing characteristics of the reservoir changes and evidence to justify such reclassification is submitted to and accepted by the Commissioner of Conservation.

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5. To consider such others matters as may be pertinent.

The Marginulina Howei Sand, Reservoir E, in the Andrew Field, is hereby defined as being that gas and condensate bearing sand encountered between the depths of 12,018 feet and 12,040 feet (electrical log measurements) in the Cimarex Energy Company – Donald Harrington No. 1 Well, located in Section 10, Township 11 South, Range 2 East, Vermilion Parish, Louisiana.

The Camerina 2 Zone, Reservoir H, in the Andrew Field, is hereby defined as being that gas and condensate bearing sand encountered between the depths of 13,170 feet and 13,258 feet (electrical log measurements) in the Cimarex Energy Company – Donald Harrington No. 1 Well, located in Section 10, Township 11 South, Range 2 East, Vermilion Parish, Louisiana.

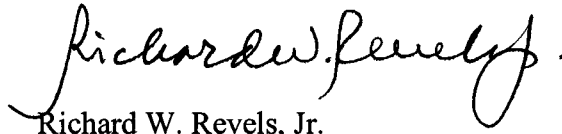
Pertinent data, including well logs, may be obtained **AT THE COST OF THE REQUESTING PARTY** from James F. Hardwick & Associates, P. O. Box 80972, Lafayette, Louisiana 70598, Telephone Number (337) 232-7756.

Pursuant to the Rules of Procedure, pre-application notice was given; however, no request for the conference was received. Therefore, the conference tentatively scheduled for February 8, 2006, **WILL NOT BE HELD.**

Attached hereto and made a part hereof are plats outlining the applicant's proposals, along with a list of the names and addresses of the Interested Owners, Represented Parties, and Interested Parties to whom a copy of this application is being mailed. Pursuant to the Revised Rules of Procedure, the plats (being the same plats attached to the pre-application notice dated January 17, 2006) and list of parties are being furnished only to the Commissioner of Conservation and to the District Manager of the Lafayette District of the Office of Conservation; however, the plats and/or list of parties will be furnished to any party requesting copies. A reasonable effort was made to ascertain the names and addresses of all Interested Owners, Represented Parties and Interested Parties.

Finally, enclosed is our check made payable to the Office of Conservation in the amount of \$1,510.00 submitted on behalf of the applicant representing the hearing application fee.

Very truly yours,



Richard W. Revels, Jr.

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Attachments

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cc: Mr. Richard Hudson, Lafayette District Office of Conservation  
cc: Interested Owners, Represented Parties, and Interested Parties

